

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

Rio Tinto plc,

Plaintiff,

v.

Vale S.A., Benjamin Steinmetz, BSG Resources Limited, VBG-Vale BSGR Limited aka BSG Resources (Guinea) Ltd. aka BSG Resources Guinée Ltd, BSG Resources Guinée SARL aka BSG Resources (Guinea) SARL aka VBG-Vale BSGR, Frederic Cilins, Mamadie Touré, and Mahmoud Thiam,

Defendants.

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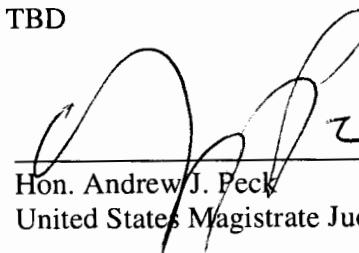
[PROPOSED] SCHEDULING ORDER

**IT IS ORDERED** that the case shall proceed on the following schedule:

1. Jurisdictional Discovery Production Deadline for BSGR and Steinmetz: January 16, 2015
2. Defendant Thiam to produce privilege log: February 20, 2015
3. Pre-motion letter to the Court on Thiam government privilege document issue: February 23, 2015.
4. Status of Settlement Discussions: March 2, 2015
5. Plaintiff's response to pre-motion letter by Thiam on government privilege issues: March 16, 2015
6. Defendant Thiam's reply in further support of his pre-motion letter: March 26, 2015
7. Rolling document productions must be substantially complete, subject to any pending personal jurisdiction or discovery motions: June 30, 2015
8. Depositions may begin: July 1, 2015
9. Affirmative Expert Witness Disclosures: August 14, 2015
10. Document production must be complete: August 28, 2015
11. Rebuttal Expert Witness Disclosures: September 11, 2015

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12. All Fact Discovery Complete: December 31, 2015 NO EXTENSIONS
  13. Affirmative Expert Reports Due: January 15, 2016
  14. Rebuttal Expert Reports Due: February 26, 2016
  15. Expert Depositions Complete: March 31, 2016
  16. Expert Discovery Complete (subject to further order by the Court): March 31, 2016
  17. Motions for Summary Judgment Due: TBD
  18. Trial: TBD

Dated: January 15, 2015



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Hon. Andrew J. Peck  
United States Magistrate Judge

HON. ANDREW J. PECK  
United States Magistrate Judge  
Southern District of New York

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